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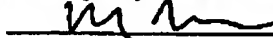
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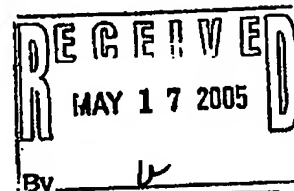


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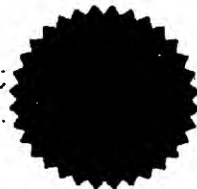
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**CERTIFICATE OF MERGER
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SWINGLINE ACQUISITION CORP.
INTO
ANGIOLINK CORPORATION**

The undersigned corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware,

DOES HEREBY CERTIFY:

FIRST, That the name and state of incorporation of each of the constituent corporations of the merger is as follows:

Name

State of Incorporation

AngioLink Corporation
Swingline Acquisition Corp.

Delaware
Delaware

SECOND: That an Agreement and Plan of Merger between the parties to the merger has been approved, adopted, certified, executed and acknowledged by each of the constituent corporations in accordance with the requirements of Section 251 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

THIRD: That the name of the surviving corporation of the merger is AngioLink Corporation, which upon the merger will change its name to "Medtronic AngioLink, Inc."

FOURTH: That the amended and restated certificate of incorporation of the surviving corporation shall, as a result of the merger, be amended and restated in its entirety to read as set forth on Exhibit A hereto.

FIFTH: That the executed Agreement and Plan of Merger is on file at an office of the surviving corporation c/o Medtronic, Inc., World Headquarters - MS LC300, 710 Medtronic Parkway, Minneapolis, MN 55432-5604

SIXTH: That a copy of the Agreement and Plan of Merger will be furnished by the surviving corporation, on request and without cost, to any stockholder of any constituent corporation.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, AngioLink Corporation has caused this Certificate of Merger to be executed by its officer(s) thereto duly authorized.

ANGIOLINK CORPORATION

By: /s/ James Lousarian

Its: President

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EXHIBIT A**AMENDED AND RESTATED CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION****CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION
OF
MEDTRONIC ANGIOLINK, INC.**

The undersigned, being of full age, for the purpose of forming a corporation under and pursuant to the Delaware General Corporation Law, as amended, hereby adopts the following Certificate of Incorporation:

ARTICLE 1 - NAME

The name of the corporation shall be Medtronic AngioLink, Inc.

ARTICLE 2 - REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The address of its registered office in the State of Delaware is Corporation Trust Center, 1209 Orange Street, in the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle. The name of its registered agent at such address is The Corporation Trust Company.

ARTICLE 3 - PURPOSES

The nature of the business or purposes to be conducted or promoted by the corporation is to engage in any lawful acts and activities for which corporations may be organized under the General Corporation Law of Delaware.

ARTICLE 4 - STOCK

The aggregate number of shares the corporation has authority to issue shall be 2,500 shares of Common Stock, \$0.01 per value. Holders of Common Stock shall be entitled to one vote for each share of Common Stock held of record.

ARTICLE 5 - RIGHTS OF STOCKHOLDERS

5.1) **No Preemptive Rights.** No holder of shares of the corporation of any class now or hereafter authorized has any preferential or preemptive right to subscribe for, purchase or receive any shares of the corporation of any class now or hereafter authorized, or any options or warrants for such shares, which may at any time be issued, sold or offered for sale by the corporation.

5.2) **No Cumulative Voting Rights.** No holder of shares of the corporation of any class now or hereafter authorized shall be entitled to cumulative voting.

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ARTICLE 6 - MEETINGS AND BOOKS

6.1) Meetings of Stockholders and Election of Directors. Meetings of stockholders may be held within or outside the State of Delaware, as the Bylaws may provide. Elections of directors need not be by written ballot unless and except to the extent that the Bylaws so provide.

6.2) Corporate Books. The books of the corporation may be kept within or (subject to any provision contained in the statutes) outside the State of Delaware at such place or places as may be designated from time to time by the Board of Directors or in the Bylaws of the corporation.

ARTICLE 7 - LIMITATION OF DIRECTOR LIABILITY

To the fullest extent permitted by the Delaware General Corporation Law, as the same exists or may hereafter be amended, a director of the corporation shall not be liable to the corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a director. If the Delaware General Corporation Law is amended after the date of the filing of this Certificate of Incorporation to authorize corporate action further eliminating or limiting the personal liability of directors, then the liability of a director of the corporation shall be eliminated or limited to the fullest extent permitted by the Delaware General Corporation Law, as so amended from time to time. No repeal or modification of this Article 7 by the stockholders shall adversely affect any right or protection of a director of the corporation existing by virtue of this Article 7 at the time of such repeal or modification.

ARTICLE 8 - BYLAWS

The Board of Directors is expressly authorized to make and alter Bylaws of this corporation, subject to the power of the stockholders to change or repeal such Bylaws and subject to any other limitations on such authority provided by the General Corporation Law of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Corporation has caused this Certificate of Amendment to be signed by its President this 1st day of November, 2004.

ANGIOLINK CORPORATION

By: 

James Lousarian
President and Chief Executive Officer

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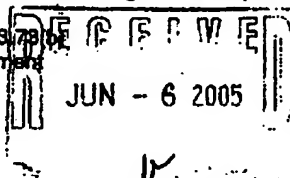
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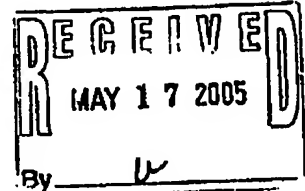


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Swingline Acquisition Corp.	11/01/2004

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Name:	Medtronic AngioLink, Inc.
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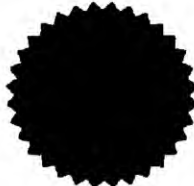
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I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF MERGER, WHICH MERGES:

"SWINGLINE ACQUISITION CORP.", A DELAWARE CORPORATION,
WITH AND INTO "ANGIOLINK CORPORATION" UNDER THE NAME OF
"MEDTRONIC ANGIOLINK, INC.", A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND
EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, AS RECEIVED
AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D. 2004,
AT 8:45 O'CLOCK P.M.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, AngloLink Corporation has caused this Certificate of Merger to be executed by its officer(s) thereunto duly authorized.

ANGIOLINK CORPORATION

By: /s/ James Lousarian

Its: President

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Corporation has caused this Certificate of Amendment to be signed by its President this 16th day of November, 2004.

ANGIOLINK CORPORATION

By: 

James Lousarian

President and Chief Executive Officer

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